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INFO AMEMBASSY NEW DELHI

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ANKARA AND NEW DELHI FOR DEA

EO 11652: GDS

TAGS: SNAR, NP

SUBJECT: NARCOTICS SMUGGLING

REF: STATE 036052; NEW DELHI 2709

1. MFA JOINT SECRETARY SHARDUL RANA RAISED WITH DCM FEBRUARY 25 REFTEL NARCOTICS SMUGGLING CASE. HE INDICATED INVESTIGATION WAS GOING FORWARD IN KATHMANDU AND SAID HE WOULD PROVIDE ADDITIONAL INFORMATION AS IT WAS DEVELOPED.

2. DCM EXPRESSED USG'S APPRECIATION FOR WAY IN WHICH THIS CASE HAD BEEN HANDLED AND INDICATED THAT WE WOULD BE PARTICULARLY INTERESTED IN INFORMATION ABOUT INTENDED CONSIGNEE OF SHIPMENT IN US. SHARDUL RANA RESPONDED THAT MINISTRY WAS AWAITING FURTHER DETAILS FROM AMBASSADOR KHANAL IN WASHINGTON AND FROM LOCAL ENFORCEMENT OFFICIALS AND WOULD COMMUNICATE WITH US AS SOON AS ADDITIONAL DETAILS AVAILABLE.

3. FOR NEW DELHI: VERY MUCH APPRECIATE OFFER OF ASSISTANCE. AT PRESENT EMBASSY DOES NOT BELIEVE THERE IS ANY SPECIFIC AREA IN WHICH DEA NEW DELHI HELP NEEDED. WE WILL STAY IN CLOSE TOUCH WITH APPROPRIATE GON OFFICIALS AND LET YOU KNOW IF YOUR AID IS REQUIRED.

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